

BOULTER POND
York Twp., York Co.
U.S.G.S. York Harbor, Me. (7 1/2')

Fishes

Yellow Perch	Pumkinseed Sunfish
Chain Pickerel	Swamp Darter
Hornpout (bullhead)	

Physical Characteristics

Area - 94 acres	Temperatures
	Surface - 78°F
Maximum depth - 34 feet	34 feet - 52°F

Principal fisheries: Yellow Perch, Chain Pickerel, Hornpout (bullhead)

Boulter Pond is one of several water supply ponds located in the town of York. The property around this man-made reservoir is owned by the Kittery Water District, and unfortunately angler access is currently prohibited. This pond could offer a unique angling experience for the area, because its undeveloped shorelines give it a remote appearance.

The Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife has been urging the water districts to change their access policies for angling purposes without success. If access was developed the pond would be managed for warmwater fish species due to the lack of suitable summer water quality for salmonids. Boulter Pond stratifies during the summer months and a severe oxygen deficiency occurs between 10 to 12 feet in depth.

In addition, MDIFW documented the presence of swamp darters in Boulter Pond during a 1998 survey. Swamp darters are listed as a threatened species in the State of Maine.

Surveyed - September 1978
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Boulter Pond
area 94 acres
elevation 76 feet

